

09/54/773

C85

## TRANSMITTAL FORM

Attorney Docket No.  
RAI9-99-0137/L1546P

MAY 19 2006

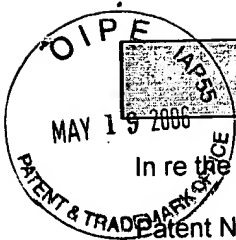
In re the application of: **BULLIS et al.**Confirmation No: **4749**Patent No: **6,876,664**Group Art Unit: **2662**Issue Date: **April 5, 2005**Examiner: **Ahmed ELALLAM**For: **Asynchronous Data Buffer And A Method Of Use Thereof**

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amendment/Reply	<input type="checkbox"/>	Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet	<input type="checkbox"/>	After Allowance Communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/>	After Final	<input type="checkbox"/>	Part B-Issue Fee Transmittal	<input type="checkbox"/>	Notice of Appeal
<input type="checkbox"/>	Information disclosure statement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Letter to Draftsman	<input type="checkbox"/>	Appeal Brief
<input type="checkbox"/>	Form 1449	<input type="checkbox"/>	Drawings	<input type="checkbox"/>	Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/>	(X) Copies of References	<input type="checkbox"/>	Petition	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Postcard
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension of Time Request *	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee Address Indication Form	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
<input type="checkbox"/>	Express Abandonment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Terminal Disclaimer	- Request for Certificate of Correction - Form PTO-1050 Certificate of Correction	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certified Copy of Priority Doc	<input type="checkbox"/>	Power of Attorney and Revocation of Prior Powers		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response to Incomplete Appln	<input type="checkbox"/>	Change of Correspondence Address		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response to Missing Parts	*Extension of Term: Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response for xxxxxx month(s), from to .			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Executed Declaration by Inventor(s)				
CLAIMS					
FOR	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest # of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	0	0	0	\$ 50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	0	0	0	\$200.00	\$ 0.00
				Total Fees	\$ 0.00
METHOD OF PAYMENT					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Check no. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed for payment of fees.				
<input type="checkbox"/>	Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. _____ (Account Holder Name) for payment of fees.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>50-0563</u> (IBM Corporation)				

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT	
Attorney Name	Joseph A. Sawyer, Jr., Reg. No. 30,801
Signature	
Date	May 15, 2006
CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Post Issue, Attn: Certificate of Correction, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on 5/15/2006.	
Type or printed name	Irena R. Nikolova
Signature	

Certificate  
MAY 23 2006  
of Correction

MAY 24 2006



## TRANSMITTAL FORM

Attorney Docket No.  
RAI9-99-0137/K1546P2In re the application of: **BULLIS et al.**Confirmation No: **4749**Patent No: **6,876,664**Group Art Unit: **2662**Issue Date: **April 5, 2005**Examiner: **Ahmed ELALLAM**

COPY

For: **Asynchronous Data Buffer And A Method Of Use Thereof**

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amendment/Reply	<input type="checkbox"/>	Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet	<input type="checkbox"/>	After Allowance Communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/>	After Final	<input type="checkbox"/>	Part B-Issue Fee Transmittal	<input type="checkbox"/>	Notice of Appeal
<input type="checkbox"/>	Information disclosure statement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Letter to Draftsman	<input type="checkbox"/>	Appeal Brief
<input type="checkbox"/>	Form 1449	<input type="checkbox"/>	Drawings	<input type="checkbox"/>	Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/>	(X) Copies of References	<input type="checkbox"/>	Petition	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Postcard
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension of Time Request *	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee Address Indication Form	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
<input type="checkbox"/>	Express Abandonment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Terminal Disclaimer	- Request for Certificate of Correction - Form PTO-1050 Certificate of Correction	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certified Copy of Priority Doc	<input type="checkbox"/>	Power of Attorney and Revocation of Prior Powers		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response to Incomplete Appln	<input type="checkbox"/>	Change of Correspondence Address		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response to Missing Parts	*Extension of Term: Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response for xxxxxx month(s), from to .			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Executed Declaration by Inventor(s)				

CLAIMS					
FOR	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest # of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	0	0	0	\$ 50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	0	0	0	\$200.00	\$ 0.00
Total Fees					\$ 0.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Check no. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed for payment of fees.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. _____ (Account Holder Name) for payment of fees.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0563 (IBM Corporation)

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT	
Attorney Name	Joseph A. Sawyer, Jr., Reg. No. 30,801
Signature	
Date	May 15, 2006

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Post Issue, Attn: Certificate of Correction, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on 5/15/2006.	
Type or printed name	Irena R. Nikolova
Signature	

MAY 24 2006



CERTIFICATE OF MAIL

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Post Issue, Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 15, 2006.

  
Irena R. Nikolova

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the name of:

Date: May 15, 2006

**BULLIS et al.**

Patent No.: 6,876,664

Issued: April 5, 2005

Title: **ASYNCHRONOUS DATA BUFFER AND A METHOD OF USE THEREOF**

Mail Stop Post Issue  
Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.322**

Sir:

Enclosed hereto, in duplicate, is a Certificate of Correction (Form PTO-1050), with at least one copy being suitable for printing for the above-referenced patent.

Because the mistake occurred in the printing of the patent, it is not believed that any fee is required. It is noted that an error appears in this patent of a clerical nature or character, as more fully described below. Correction thereof does not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require re-examination.

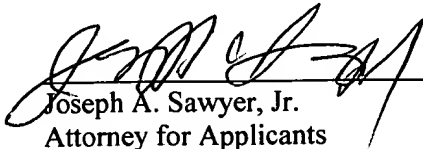
Acceptance of this Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested.

Please send the Certificate to:

Sawyer Law Group LLP  
P.O. Box 51418  
Palo Alto, CA 94303

Respectfully submitted,  
SAWYER LAW GROUP LLP

May 15, 2006  
Date

  
Joseph A. Sawyer, Jr.  
Attorney for Applicants  
Reg. No.: 30,801  
(650) 493-4540

MAY 24 2006

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 6,876,664  
ISSUED : April 5, 2005  
INVENTOR(S) : BULLIS et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

### Abstract

Item (57), line 8, delete "First" and replace with --First--.

### Column 8

Line 23, after "write" and before "reaches", delete "inter" and replace with --element once the second item pointer--.

MAILING ADDRESS OF SENDER:

PATENT NO.: 6,876,664

Sawyer Law Group LLP  
P.O. Box 51418  
Palo Alto, CA 94303

No. of additional copies



This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.322, 1.323, and 1.324. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application for to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop Post Issue, Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

MAY 24 2006

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 6,876,664  
ISSUED : April 5, 2005  
INVENTOR(S) : BULLIS et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

### Abstract

Item (57), line 8, delete "Firsts" and replace with --First--.

### Column 8

Line 23, after "write" and before "reaches", delete "inter" and replace with --element once the second item pointer--.

MAILING ADDRESS OF SENDER:

PATENT NO.: 6,876,664

Sawyer Law Group LLP  
P.O. Box 51418  
Palo Alto, CA 94303

No. of additional copies



This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.322, 1.323, and 1.324. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.0 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application for to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop Post Issue, Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

MAY 24 2006